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1. Jaroslaw Iwaszkiewicz, a Polish writer, arrived in Rio de Janeiro on 30 October 1948 at the invitation of the Associação Brasileira de Escritores (Brazilian Writers' Association). He is an active Communist and an influential person in Poland. He was the head of the Polish delegation to the World Conference of Intellectuals in Wroclaw, Poland, and is presently the President of the Polish Writers' Association, the literary director of the National Theater in Warsaw, the chief editor of the weekly Literary News of Poland, and the president of the Government's Literary Commission, which controls most of the printing in Poland.
2. Iwaszkiewicz is a member of the Communist Party of Poland and won the 1947 Literary Recovery Prize, which was established by the Bierut Government. He is reputedly a man of bad character and was suspected of being a German collaborator during the occupation. He is travelling on Polish Passport No. 4087, which was issued in Warsaw on 4 September 1948. He gave the Polish Legation in Rio as his address in Brazil.

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